#### IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	: CRIMINAL NO.	
v.	: DATE FILED:	
STEPHEN GARRISON	: VIOLATIONS:	
	: 18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(1)(A) (Making false statements to federal	

## **INDICTMENT**

firearms licensee -1 Count)

## **COUNTS ONE THROUGH ELEVEN**

#### THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

At all times material to this indictment:

- Mike's Sporting Goods, 8010 Mill Creek Road, Levittown, Pennsylvania,
   possessed a federal firearms license ("FFL") and was authorized to deal in firearms under federal laws.
- FFL holders are licensed, among other things, to sell firearms and ammunition. Various rules and regulations, promulgated under the authority of Chapter 44, Title 18, United States Code, govern the manner in which FFL holders are permitted to sell firearms and ammunition.
- 3. The rules and regulations governing FFL holders require that a person seeking to purchase a handgun fill out a Firearms Transaction Record, ATF Form 4473. Part of the Form 4473 requires that the prospective purchaser certify that all his or her answers on Form 4473 are true and correct. The Form 4473 contains language warning that "making of a false oral or written statement or the exhibiting of any false or misrepresented identification with respect to this transaction is a crime punishable as a felony."
  - 4. FFL holders are required to maintain a record, in the form of a completed

Form 4473, of the identity of the actual buyer of firearms sold by the FFL holder, including the buyer's home address and date of birth.

5. On or about the dates listed below, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

## STEPHEN GARRISON,

in connection with the acquisition of each of the firearms listed below from Mike's Sporting Goods, 8010 Mill Creek Road, Levittown, Pennsylvania, knowingly made a false statement and representation with respect to information required by the provisions of Chapter 44, Title 18, United States Code, to be kept in the FFL holder's records, in that defendant **STEPHEN**GARRISON certified on the Form 4473 that his resident address was as listed below, when in fact, as defendant knew, this statement was false.

Count	Date	Address Provided	Firearm	Serial Number
1	September 14, 2001	1 Liberty Drive, Langhorne, Pennsylvania	Bersa .380 caliber pistol	471058
2	September 19, 2001	1 Liberty Drive, Langhorne, Pennsylvania	Beretta 9mm pistol	SZ003924
3	September 20, 2001	1 Liberty Drive, Langhorne, Pennsylvania	Glock .40 caliber pistol	DPY363US
4	September 28, 2001	1 Liberty Drive, Langhorne, Pennsylvania	Beretta .40 caliber pistol	BER249018
5	October 2, 2001	1 Liberty Drive, Langhorne, Pennsylvania	Beretta .40 caliber pistol	SN007074

6	October 3, 2001	1 Liberty Drive, Langhorne, Pennsylvania	Beretta .40 caliber pistol	SN007261
7	November 30, 2001	715 Auburn Road, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania	IMI Industries .45 caliber pistol IMI Industries .45 caliber pistol	31300262 31301351
8	February 27, 2002	715 Auburn Road, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania	Glock .40 caliber pistol	EGF728US
9	March 8, 2002	715 Auburn Road, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania	Taurus .38 caliber pistol Beretta .25 caliber pistol	UF12783 BES33072V
10	March 29, 2002	715 Auburn Road, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania	Beretta 9mm pistol	SN009940
11	April 6, 2002	715 Auburn Road, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania	Glock .40 caliber pistol	ESD728US

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(a)(1)(A).

A TRUE BILL:
FOREPERSON

PATRICK L. MEEHAN

# **United States Attorney**